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## MANY COLLEGE RELAYS LISTED

Special Section Reserved for Students At the Meet on the Thirteenth.

### A. A. MEMBERS GET SEATS.

Final preparations for the big meet which will be held at Convention Hall on Saturday, February 13, are now being made. In response to requests from some of the out-of-town contestants the entry lists will be held open until tomorrow night, but most of the entries are now in and a huge list is assured.

Owing to the fact that some of the teams desire to run two miles and others one mile, the college relays have not yet been definitely matched. Prof. McNemar is now adjusting these differences by telegraph. Entries are assured from Cornell, Lehigh, Virginia, Georgetown, Washington and Lee, Johns Hopkins, Catholic University, Gallaudet, St. John's College and Maryland Agricultural College and practically all of these institutions will be represented by relay teams. George Washington will also have a two mile team entered. There will be five or six college relay races arranged between the teams representing these institutions. There will also be a number of club and scholastic relay races which with the open events, the Inter-collegiate Championship events, the novice and Scholastic events will make an unusually well balanced and attractive program.

An event of particular interest will be the Inter-fraternity relay race, in which several of the fraternities have already signified the intention of entering teams. Each man is to run but a single lap so as to make it possible for untrained men to compete and not to give an undue advantage to any team.

Three general trophies have been provided, one, a handsome cup, to go to the organization securing the most points in the entire meet, a smaller cup for the organization scoring the largest number of points in the open events, and a large plaque for the scholastic team scoring the most points.

A large section of the United States Marine Band will be on hand to dispense music during the evening, and the mere mention of the name of the organization testifies as to the quality of music which will be furnished.

All holders of Athletic Association membership tickets will be given one dollar reserved seat tickets in section H, or will be given a reduction of one dollar on either a dollar and a half or two dollar seat. The first three rows in section H, which section will be reserved specially as a rosters' section for students, are priced at a dollar and a half, while the back rows are one dollar, so that Athletic Association members who come early can get seats as far front as the fourth row without extra payment. One box office window will be reserved especially for students and the Association tickets must be presented there on the night of the meet. It is expected that a large crowd of students will turn out and root and an ample number of seats are being held for them. Section H is at the end of the hall facing the finish.

G. W. U. 25; Ingram, 8.

In a decisive, fast contest Monday night the local female basketball team defeated the Ingram aggregation to the tune of 25 to 8. The team went yesterday on a trip to Philadelphia and Port Deposit, Maryland, to meet the Temple College and the Tome Institute teams.

## DELINQUENTS! ONE WORD.

If by some strange oversight this copy of your Hatchet should fail to be marked with a red stamp "YOUR SUBSCRIPTION IS NOW DUE", we pause just to remind you in this paragraph that one dollar and a half is due from you before the middle of this month. You expect your Hatchet on time. Please furnish the wherewithal.

## ENGINEERS' BANQUET A BIG SUCCESS

Admiral Stockton and Director Stratton of Bureau of Standards Guests of Honor.

L. M. HERON TOASTMASTER.

All distinctions of the classroom were laid aside at the annual banquet of the Engineering Society, last Tuesday evening, when more than fifty future engineers fraternized with their instructors. The "feed" was held in the banquet room of the Hotel Continental and from start to finish was a great success in every way.

After doing justice to an excellent menu which had been provided by the committee the engineers enjoyed a series of postprandial speeches which have been unsurpassed in the history of Engineering Society banquets. Toastmaster Louis M. Heron, president of the Society, first introduced Admiral Stockton, who with a few words of encouragement for the Society, pointed out the many opportunities awaiting the engineer in every part of the world, near home as well as in the undeveloped regions of Alaska and South America. He traced the great increase in the use of engineering in the Navy during the period in which he served, describing the development of the warship from a simple vessel depending often upon sailpower to the complicated battleship which is a mass of engines from stem to stern.

Dr. S. W. Stratton, Director of the U. S. Bureau of Standards, was another honor guest of the Society, which is indebted to him for many favors. He described the work of his bureau and pointed out the many benefits to the engineering profession derived from that work. Dean Hodgkins and Dean Munroe delighted their hearers with humorous speeches recalling the recent examination period the passing of which was being celebrated.

The several professors and instructors of the Engineering School were each called upon for an impromptu speech and responded with bits of advice and humor which were well received. Herbert P. Middleton, president of the Society last year, told how it looked to an outsider.

Great credit is due the committee in charge of the banquet for the successful way it was managed. Those who were especially active were McClain B. Smith, S. W. Mason, H. D. Hatfield, O. H. Miller and L. M. Heron.

### FOUND!

At the Frosh Prom, a fraternity pin. Owner can obtain pin by calling at Hatchet office and proving property.

## LAW STANDARD RAISED BY TRUSTEES

One College Year to be Admission Requirement for Minors.

### FACULTY APPOINTMENTS MADE

At a meeting of the Board of Trustees held on Friday, January 22, an important change was made in the requirements for admission to the Law School. The following is the text of the new regulation:

"Beginning with the academic year 1916-17 one year of college work of not less than twelve hours shall be required of all candidates for degrees who are under twenty-one at entering the school."

This change is "right in line with the policy of the new dean of the Law School, Everett Fraser, who is aiming to broaden the scope and to increase steadily the standards of scholarship in this branch of the University."

### Lament Death of Mr. Singleton.

Resolutions were adopted extolling "the sterling qualities of manhood and the important services rendered" to the University by the late William A. Singleton, who was a member of the board. Mr. Singleton was elected a trustee of the University in 1910, and was serving his third term when he died. He was appointed to the executive committee of the board and served as chairman of the committee on Columbian College.

A part of the resolution was as follows:

"In all the varied duties devolving upon him he was conspicuously faithful. In counsel, he was wise and able. His convictions were sound, and he was earnest and forcible in maintaining them. Yet so genial was his nature and so kindly his disposition that he never gave offense. His qualities of mind and heart endeared him to us all. His high aims, his fine attainments and earnest Christian character made him increasingly useful to all his associates in the civic relations with which he burdened himself, to his University in its promising development and to his church, which was so dear to his heart."

"We deeply regret his separation from us, and we, with all the friends of our University, mourn the loss of an earnest and devoted friend, intent upon every good work and work."

The election of Walter Rupert Tuokerman as a member of the board was announced.

### Appointments Announced.

In the Department of Arts and Sciences: Robert Wilbur Morse, S. B., to be Assistant Professor of Mechanical Engineering from February 1, 1915; Frank Andrews, A. B., to be Lecturer on Transportation from Feb. 1, 1915; Alexander Wetmore to be Instructor in Zoology from February 1, 1915; William L. F. Pahl to be Student Assistant in Chemistry from January 1, 1915, for the remainder of the current academic year; Ruth Vesta Pope, A. B., to be Teacher in the Observation and Practice School from January 1, 1915, to June 1, 1915; Mabel Stewart, A. B., to be Teacher in

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The Association of Class Presidents will meet tonight in Room 1 of the Medical Building, 1325 H Street. Every member is urged to be present on account of important business.

JAMES F. PIERCE,  
Secretary.

## SCHEDULE REVISED AND ALLEYS CHANGED

Interfraternity Association Announces Changes.

The Interfraternity Association will play its games at the Speedway Alleys, on P Street just west of Fourteenth, instead of at the Casino Alleys as announced in the last issue of the Hatchet and the schedule of games has been revised. Those teams appearing second on the list of Tuesday nights play at 9:15 p. m. while the first games take place at 7:45 p. m. On Thursday nights both games begin at 7:45 p. m. There will be all five-men teams; in case of the absence of one member a "dummy" may be substituted, but only one.

The following is the revised schedule:

Thursday, February 4.  
Kappa Alpha v. Phi Sigma Kappa.  
Alpha Beta v. Theta Delta Chi.

Tuesday, February 9.  
Sigma Alpha Epsilon v. Sigma Phi Epsilon.  
Sigma Chi v. Alpha Kappa Kappa.

Thursday, February 11.  
Sigma Alpha Epsilon v. Alpha Kappa.  
Sigma Chi v. Sigma Phi Epsilon.

Tuesday, February 16.  
Alpha Beta Phi v. Alpha Kappa Kappa.  
Sigma Alpha Epsilon v. Theta Delta Chi.

Thursday, February 18.  
Sigma Chi v. Phi Sigma Kappa.  
Kappa Alpha v. Sigma Phi Epsilon.

Tuesday, February 23.  
Alpha Beta Phi v. Sigma Phi Epsilon.  
Sigma Alpha Epsilon v. Phi Sigma Kappa.

Thursday, February 25.  
Sigma Chi v. Theta Delta Chi.  
Kappa Alpha v. Alpha Kappa Kappa.

Tuesday, March 2.  
Sigma Phi Epsilon v. Phi Sigma Kappa.  
Alpha Kappa Kappa v. Theta Delta Chi.

Thursday, March 4.  
Sigma Alpha Epsilon v. Alpha Beta Phi.  
Sigma Chi v. Kappa Alpha.

Tuesday, March 9.  
Theta Delta Chi v. Sigma Phi Epsilon.  
Phi Sigma Kappa v. Alpha Kappa Kappa.

Thursday, March 11.  
Alpha Beta Phi v. Sigma Chi.  
Kappa Alpha v. Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

Tuesday, March 16.  
Phi Sigma Kappa v. Theta Delta Chi.  
Alpha Kappa Kappa v. Sigma Phi Epsilon.

Thursday, March 18.  
Kappa Alpha v. Alpha Beta Phi.  
Sigma Alpha Epsilon v. Sigma Chi.

Tuesday, March 23.  
Kappa Alpha v. Theta Delta Chi.  
Alpha Beta Phi v. Phi Sigma Kappa.

Flowers from Blackstone's may be obtained at a substantial reduction by purchasing through the University Hatchet. See an editor or the business manager.

## VARSITY NOSED OUT IN SECOND HALF

Loses Hotly Contested Game to Georgetown, 21 to 16.

### GAME CLOSES 8-YEAR BREACH.

After a tightly fought contest Wednesday night, the Varsity basketball team were led to defeat by the Georgetown quint to the tune of 21 to 16, this being the first struggle between the two schools in eight years.

At the close of the first half the scores stood 10 all with every prospect for the Varsity to pull the long score, but, owing to the apparent inability of the team to hang together in the second half three or four long goals in rapid succession were landed.

Shaver manifested his usual pluck by remaining in the game after a severe blow on the jaw. Groesbeck, who played a good offensive game throughout, was removed in the early part of the second for fouling. Hamner was put in and played an excellent game.

The teamwork of the opponents was excellent toward the end, although they seemed unable to find the basket in the first few minutes of play.

The cheering was loud and continuous and the old friendly rivalry between the schools was strongly evident. Admiral Stockton, Dean Wilbur, Dean Hodgkins, Dean Borden, and Dean and Mrs. Fraser were present in the reserved section. There was quite a good sprinkling of other faculty members also.

The summary was as follows:  
Almon L. F. Shugrue  
Murray R. F. O'Lone  
Johnson C. Torney  
Shaver, Capt. L. G. Kelley, Capt.  
Groesbeck, R. G. Donley

Goals from floor:—Murray, Almon, Johnson, O'Lone (3), Shugrue (2), Torney (2), Kelley. Goals from free tosses:—Murray (2), Almon (8), Shugrue (3), Kelley (2). Referee: Mr. Colliflower, Georgetown; Umpire: Mr. Hughes; Timekeeper, Mr. Lambert, Catholic University.

Last night the Varsity combatted Fordham University at the Armory. The season tickets of the G. W. U. will be accepted at the Ryan gymnasium on February 24, when we meet Georgetown again.

## OLD GRADS TO FORM ASSOCIATION

Meeting Tonight in Medical Building To Effect Organization of Alumni Chemists.

At eight o'clock in the Medical Building on H Street, there will be a meeting of some of the old graduates in chemistry to form an organization of the alumni B. S.'s in Chemistry. For some time several members of the Chemical Society have been considering this move, and plan by means of their organization, first, to keep up old acquaintance by holding a meeting or luncheon at least once a year, and second, to maintain interest in the Chemical Department of the University. Messrs. Custis, Ingersoll, Lepper, Stewart, Taylor, and Thatcher, have signified their intention of boosting this movement and will be in charge of the meeting tonight.

## SCIENTISTS HONOR DR. KING.

At the 482d meeting of the Anthropological Society of Washington, held last Tuesday evening in the West Study Room of the Public Library, Dr. C. L. G. Anderson, Medical Reserve Corps, U. S. Army, read a paper "In Memoriam: Dr. A. P. A. King," in honor of our lately departed professor.

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Friday, February 5, 1915

THE COLLEGE BOY, CAUGHT,  
DISSECTED AND ANALYZEDWe print by permission the following editorial which appeared recently in the *Pennsylvanian* of the University of Pennsylvania:

Until recently, we must admit, we were not sure that there was a "college boy" type—at least, we did not realize that "college boys" lived and had their being in the larger Eastern universities.

It is true that we had seen Pennsylvania seals pasted on student suit cases, but we classified them as belonging to a group a trifle more obvious and considerably less insidious—the "rah-rah" genus.

Also, we had noticed such epidemics as the breaking-out of brown soft hats a year or two ago, and the adoption of mushroom shirts a little later, but these were deemed evidences of a proper regard for the picturesque and informative trolley car advertisements.

But it has become apparent that there are college boys—also, that outwardly they may be known by loose-flowing balmacaan overcoats, with coat collars jauntily turned up; by mahogany tinged shoes, their tops and a generous amount of silk hose revealed by well-lofted trousers; by flamboyantly colored cravats jauntily darting out from the much advertised collar of the day and shooting in again at the V of the waistcoat; above all, by a gold watch chain suspended like the niagara bridge between the upper waistcoat pockets, or else slanting precipitately down from one upper pocket to the lower one on the opposite side.

## THE BASKETBALL SEASON.

## SCORES.

Saturday, Dec. 12—G. W. U., 35; Loyola, 26; at home.  
Wednesday, Dec. 16—G. W. U., 27; Gallaudet, 23; at home.  
Saturday, Dec. 19—Navy, 42; G. W. U., 20; at Annapolis.  
Friday, Jan. 8—G. W. U., 28; Washington and Lee, 16; at Lexington.  
Saturday, Jan. 9—Virginia Military Institute, 20; G. W. U., 15; at Lexington.  
Monday, Jan. 11—Virginia, 41; G. W. U., 12; at Charlottesville.  
Saturday, Jan. 16—Callaudet, 35; G. W. U., 33; at Kehdall Green.  
Wednesday, Jan. 20—G. W. U., 23; Catholic University, 20; at home.  
Wednesday, Feb. 3—G. U., 21; G. W. U., 16.

## TO BE PLAYED.

Saturday, Feb. 6—Loyola at Baltimore.  
Wednesday, Feb. 17—Syracuse at Syracuse, N. Y.  
Thursday, Feb. 18—Franklin and Marshall at Lancaster, Pa.  
Friday, Feb. 19—Seton Hall at South Orange, N. J.  
Saturday, Feb. 20—Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute at Brooklyn, N. Y.  
Monday, Feb. 22—Army at West Point, N. Y.  
Wednesday, Feb. 24—Georgetown at Georgetown.  
Friday, Feb. 26—Virginia at National Guard Armory.COLLEGE MEN TO  
FIGHT LIQUOR EVIL3000 Volunteers Being Enlisted For  
Systematic Reform Endeavor.

A call has been issued for 3,000 college men to volunteer in the war against John Barleycorn. The Prohibition National Committee with headquarters in Chicago plan to enlist 2,000 of these men by June 1st, 1915, and the remainder within the year following. Fifteen special secretaries are now traveling among the colleges and universities of the country enlisting young men for the campaign.

The plan of work is one which has been tried on a small scale during the past ten years with great success. During this time about 250 college men have been employed in various sections of the country.

The plan of work will consist of interviewing every voter and securing his pledge, if possible, to support only those candidates and parties committed to national prohibition. Theoretically the campaigners will ring every door bell in the United States, practically much of the actual campaigning will be done by volunteer organizations effected by the campaigner.

The plan is now to enlist 3,000 young men at army wages, \$25.00 per month and expenses. The term of service on this basis being until the organizer has enrolled 1,666 voters. When each of 5,000 men shall have secured his quota, the total will be 5,000,000 voters enrolled, which will be a sufficient number to insure national prohibition. The average young man will enroll his quota in from sixty to ninety days. Some men will do it in one-half the time. 5,000 have been enrolled at one meeting.

The prohibition movement is today offering a great opportunity to those who want to have a part in the greatest reform movement of the time. Experience has demonstrated that it is impossible to employ satisfactory men on a commercial basis. Heart-service is essential to success of such movement and this cannot be bought for money. The call is for soldiers and crusaders who will serve for the honor of the flag. It is for the support of sacrifice such as is manifested by the heroes of every age, who have seen beyond their own immediate selfish desires and surroundings, and whose visions have grasped the broader needs of humanity. 3,000 men thus consecrated will form an irresistible phalanx of power and will insure the success of the undertaking.

A good start has already been made for the first one thousand and enlistments are being sent in constantly. Training colleges will be held at the close of the school year in practically every state where campaign work will be done. These training schools will last ten days and will be in charge of the most experienced and capable men in the entire country. In these schools the enlisted workers will receive their training which will fit them to do successfully the actual work of the campaign.

## UNIVERSITY CALENDAR

Friday, February 5.

2:00 p. m.—Girls' Basketball: Varsity vs. Temple College, Philadelphia, Pa.

8:00 p. m.—Meeting of Old Grads in Chemistry, Medical Building, 1325 H Street.

8:00 p. m.—Rehearsal of the University Orchestra, Assembly Orchestra, Assembly Hall, Arts and Science Building, 2023 G Street.

8:00 p. m.—Meeting of Association of Class Presidents, Room 1. Medical Building, 1325 H Street.

8:15 p. m.—Columbian Debating Society, North Hall, Masonic Temple, 13th and New York Avenue. Semi-Annual Election of Officers.

Saturday, February 6.

8:00 p. m.—Basketball: Varsity vs. Loyola, Baltimore, Maryland.

Tuesday, February 9.

7:45 p. m.—Interfraternity Bowling Speedway Alleys, 14th and P Streets; Sigma Alpha Epsilon vs. Sigma Phi Epsilon; Sigma Chi vs. Alpha Kappa Kappa.

Wednesday, February 10.

8:00 p. m.—Chemical Society meets, Medical Building, 1325 H Street. J. Norman Taylor on "The History of Chemistry".

8:30 p. m.—Annual Debate between Columbian Debating Society and the University Congress, Main Auditorium, Law School, 13th and New York Avenue.

Thursday, February 11.

7:45 p. m.—Interfraternity Bowling, Speedway Alleys, 14th and P Streets; Sigma Alpha Epsilon vs. Alpha Kappa Kappa.

Friday, February 12.

8:00 p. m.—Rehearsal of University Orchestra, 2023 G Street.

Saturday, February 13.

8:00 p. m.—George Washington University Track Meet, Convention Hall, 5th and L Streets.

8:00 p. m.—Socialist Study Club, 2023 G street: Col. H. Martin Williams on "The Abolition of Poverty."

Monday, February 15.

8:00 p. m.—Rehearsal of the Glee and Mandolin Clubs, Arts and Sciences Building, 2023 G Street.

Tuesday, February 16.

7:45 p. m.—Interfraternity Bowling, Speedway Alleys, 14th and P Streets; Alpha Beta Phi vs. Alpha Kappa

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Kappa; Sigma Alpha Epsilon vs. Theta Delta Chi.

Wednesday, February 17.

8:00 p. m.—Basketball: Varsity vs. Syracuse, at Syracuse, New York.

Thursday, February 18.

7:45 p. m.—Interfraternity Bowling, Speedway Alleys, 14th and P Streets; Sigma Chi vs. Phi Sigma Kappa; Kappa Alpha vs. Sigma Phi Epsilon.

8:00 p. m.—Basketball: Varsity vs. Franklin and Marshall, Lancaster, Pa.

Friday, February 19.

8:00 p. m.—Annual Banquet of the Chemical Society, Hotel Continental.

8:00 p. m.—Rehearsal of the University Orchestra, A. &amp; S. Building, 2023 G Street.

8:00 p. m.—Basketball: Varsity vs. Seton Hall, at South Orange, N. J.

Saturday, February 20.

8:00 p. m.—Basketball: Varsity vs. Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute at Brooklyn, N. Y.

FROSH AND SOPHS TO  
"CONSIDER FACULTY."

It has been announced that the Freshmen and Sophomores of the Department of the Arts and Sciences will meet on next Tuesday to consider the relations existing between their classes and the faculty. The meeting has been called for 12:15 o'clock in the chapel of the Arts and Sciences Building.

An Infuriated  
Step-Ladder Defending  
Its Young

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## THE MENACE OF ALL MILITARISM

A Word From Columbia Student-Body To the Student-Bodies of Other American Universities.

A public meeting of the students of Columbia University was held Thursday, December 17, 1914, to learn the undergraduate attitude toward increased armament for America, and to express disapproval of the propaganda for militarism which has been foisted upon the American public by vicious and insidious war-scares in the popular press. Five hundred students attended, intense spirit was displayed, and the sanction given the four speakers was complete and unanimous. It is believed that a larger hall could have been filled with equal success, and that, for the purposes of anti-militarist agitation and the advocacy of a sane policy of limited armaments, definite organization will be justified in this university. It is also believed that similar spirit exists in our sister universities and may be waiting only for the opportunity of expression. For that reason the present report of the anti-militarist activity at Columbia has been undertaken, and is submitted by a committee of students chosen at the mass meeting.

### The Resolution.

"Resolved, That we, the students of Columbia University, in mass meeting assembled, hereby go on record before Congress and the people of the United States, as opposed to militarism in general and an increase in our army and navy in particular." This resolution was offered by Mr. Wayne Wellman and seconded by Mr. Paul Douglas, and was carried without a dissenting vote. Another meeting will be held in January, at which it is expected that the movement will find a sound financial basis. Propaganda in sister institutions is confidently awaited by the committee.

Mrs. Charlotte Perkins Gilman, the noted feminist author, lecturer and editor, in her remarks said: "The theory of peace through armaments has been exploded once for all by the present European situation. The one sure and definite hope of permanent peace is the extension of the federal principle into international relations. A body of federated nations is not a need to-day, and the only thing which distant Utopia, but the one pressing will maintain the integrity of the smaller nations."

"The next time anyone tells you that a cannon is made to keep peace, you tell him that a cannon is made to kill men." This was the observation of Mr. Leon Fraser. "The agitator's argument that our security lies in being stronger than any other country, will hold equally true for every country besides us. The creation of 'national security leagues' in this country will mean the creation of 'national security leagues' in Japan. If today all had four guns and tomorrow eight, we would be relatively in the same position, but the increased burden would lead eventually to bankruptcy or an explosion."

Dr. Carlton Hayes, Professor of Modern History, said: "Western Europe has managed to keep peace for forty-three years, although gradually increasing its armaments each year. The burden of militarism became unbearable and the present war followed. After the outbreak of the war I had one comfortable feeling when I read that all nations insisted that this was The Last War. And yet in December, 1914, just three months later, we are told that the great lesson for us is that we in America must embark on a sea of militarism. Let us be rational. Who is going to attack us? There is bound to be peace in the United States unless we deliberately give offense. There is no need for a defensive armament; there is only need for armament if we want to provoke a war."

"One of the great questions for the coming generation is going to be this question of Militarism, and it is the

## LAW STANDARD

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the Observation and Practice School from January 1, 1915, to June 1, 1915. In the Medical School: Frank Adelbert Hornaday, S. B., M. D., to be Professor of Physiological Chemistry; Huron Willis Lawson, S. M., M. D., to be Professor of Obstetrics; Thomas Charles Martin, M. D., to be Professor of Proctology; Joseph Duerson Stout, A. B., M. D., to be Professor of Pharmacology; Sacks Bricker, M. D., to be Clinical Instructor in Obstetrics from December 1, 1914; William Browne Carr, M. D., to be Instructor in Morbid Anatomy for the remainder of the academic year; Oliver Clemence Cox, M. D., to be Instructor in Minor Surgery from January 1, 1915, for the remainder of the academic year; Janvier W. Lindsey, M. D., to be Instructor in Physical Diagnosis; William B. Marburg, M. D., to be Instructor in Surgery from January 20, 1915, for one year; Albert Elwood Pagan, M. D., to be Instructor in Obstetrics from September 1, 1914, for one year; William P. Reeves, M. D., to be Clinical Instructor in Surgery from January 1, 1915, for one year; J. Irving Sloat, M. D., to be Instructor in Surgery from September 1, 1914, for one year; Edgar Snowden, M. D., to be Instructor in Hygiene; James H. Collins, to be Student Assistant in Pharmacology from January 1, 1915, for the remainder of the academic year.

In the Hospital: Harry A. Bishop, M. D., to be Attending Neurologist in the University Dispensary for the remainder of the academic year; Albert P. Tibbitts, M. D., to be Assistant Laryngologist and Otolologist in the University Dispensary for the remainder of the current academic year.

duty of every student in our colleges and universities to make his decision and declare where he stands. If you go in for militarism don't be satisfied with mere sops—demand ten thousand dreadnoughts and innumerable submarines; but if you think this country can maintain peace without force of arms, cast your lot with us.

### CONVOCATION, FEBRUARY 22.

Professor Hazen, Formerly of Smith College To Make Principal Address.

The Midwinter Convocation will be held Monday, February 22, at 10:00 a. m., in the Assembly Hall of the Arts and Sciences Department. President Charles H. Stockton will preside. The principal address to the graduates will be delivered by Professor Charles D. Hazen, formerly professor of History at Smith College, and author of "Europe Since 1815". Professor Hazen is a prominent man in the University world and is very popular with his associates. The University authorities are fortunate in securing so good a speaker for the Convocation.

### PHYSICIANS HONOR DR. KING.

More than three hundred Washington physicians attended the meeting of the Medical Society of the District of Columbia held recently in memory of Dr. A. F. A. King, former dean of the Medical School and a noted obstetrician, who died shortly before Christmas.

Appreciations and papers relating to different phases of Dr. King's life were read by Dr. C. W. Richardson, Dr. Sterling Ruffin, Dr. D. K. Shute, Dr. A. R. Shands, Dr. H. D. Fry, and Dr. E. Y. Davidson. Dr. Frank Leech presided at the meeting.

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## DUM DUMS AND SHRAPNEL.

By T. S. D.

From now on we're going to give you each week a sample of one of two kinds of poetry, namely, original or not original (we believe this classification is properly dichotomous). This week it's not.

### Petticoat Returns.

Behold, the banished petticoat Has now returned to grace, And ornaments fair nether limbs With crepe de chine and lace. Quite like the prodigal's return The petticoats will be, Because the fatted calves are all Prepared for it you see.

Margaret Mason in The Virginia Tech.

Next week we'll give a little enlightenment about the jitney bus. Watch for it.

"The horrible news comes from Kansas that a boy climbed a corn-stalk to see how the corn was getting along, and now the stalk is growing up faster than the boy can climb down. The boy is plumb out of sight. Three men have undertaken to cut down the stalk with axes and save the boy from starvation, but it grows so fast they can't hack twice in the same place. The boy is living on nothing but raw corn and has already thrown down over four bushels of cobs."—Ex.

As it's pulled in the Princeton Tiger:

Dean—Have you ever been up before me?

Stude—I don't know. What time do you get up?

This wheeze from our friend Q. W. of Washington University's Student Life:

The Doctor inquired of the class whether prairie dogs were furnished with long or short caudal appendages. Opinion varied. "Oh, well," remarked our hero, "it doesn't matter. It's only a difference in detail anyway."

Yes, we thought some low-brow would want to know what "caudal" means.

### A Splinter From the Medica.

Chadwick: He was injured in the lumbar region.

Conway: I suppose you mean in Michigan or Canada.

### What's His Nationality?

The Prof in Pharmacy who says: "Down at my office I went upstairs to see my microscope downstairs once a minute."

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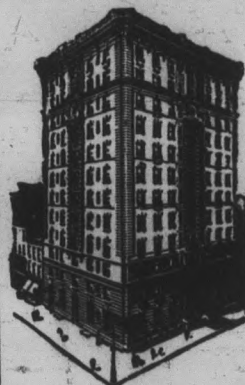
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## DEPARTMENTAL NOTES.

### TEACHERS' COLLEGE.

President Hall of Gallaudet College in a recent letter to Dean Ruediger writes:

"We have a limited number of Normal fellowships which provide free tuition, board, room and laundry for the college year, and the sum of \$200.00 besides. We have a great number of applications for these positions from young women, but very few from young men. Do you think it would be possible to interest a young man from George Washington in one of these fellowships for next year?"

John V. Macdonald, '13, writes that he was appointed during the holidays to a pleasant position as First Assistant in one of the public schools of Prince Rupert, B. C.

Miss Florence V. Corson, Feb. '14, writes from Darnestown, Md. "Since last September I have been teaching here in the High School, having the four years of Latin and three of Algebra. In addition to the seven classes, the principal has given me full charge of the study hall. The trustees have told me that they want me to remain here next year."

Dean Ruediger was the commencement speaker last Friday at the eighth grade graduating exercises of the Sixth Division of the public schools.

### LAW SCHOOL.

Work on the annual to be issued by the Senior class party as a substitute for the late lamented "Cherry Tree" and partly as a souvenir of the fiftieth anniversary of the law school, is progressing rapidly. It is expected that the book will be issued very early in the Spring but this is dependant upon the rapidity with which the pictures of the students are taken. There seems to be a tendency with a great number to put off the date with the "Rogues Gallery" until the end of the assigned period, which does not only handicap the editors but also will result in a poorer grade of pictures as a result of congestion of engagements and a consequent lack of individual attention. If the members of the school desire to aid in the production of a representative book, they can best serve by the promptness of their engagements with the Clinedinst Studio.

If present plans do not miscarry the Law School annual will not only be a student enterprise but an official instrument of the Faculty in their endeavor to increase the size of the morning classes and to demonstrate to college graduates throughout the country the advantages offered by George Washington in the acquirement of a legal education. It is the present plan of Dean Fraser and President Pierce of the Senior Class to have an extra edition issued for the School, which will of course bear the extra expense, to be sent by the different fraternities in the University to their numerous chapters. By this plan it is hoped to reach a great number of this year's graduates throughout the country in a manner that will excite more attention than do the usual catalogues, not only because of the general nature of the book but also because of the fraternal connections of the sender. As the annual will contain pictures of all the chapters located here another incentive will be given to a closer inspection than is usually accorded catalogues.

Every member of the Law School should procure and read thoroughly Dean Fraser's annual report to President Stockton. Even a cursory inspection gives one a very good idea of the wonderful progress made by the School during the last year and inspires confidence of future welfare for which we have only the inadequate phrase, "school spirit".

Many things contained are worthy of very close study, particularly the tables relative to scholarship, which we hope to discuss more thoroughly in a later issue.

### MEDICAL SCHOOL.

Dr. C. B. Conklin, Associate in Medicine, has been appointed Medical Inspector to the Public Schools of the District.

Members of the Junior Class are glad to welcome Robert J. Gordon back to the class after an absence of half a year at school in Chicago.

Sophomores are getting their first taste of clinics in connection with Physical Diagnosis and Minor Surgery. Dr. Daniel Leray Borden is lecturing in the latter subject, filling the position vacated by Dr. Charles S. White.

As a result of his improved physical condition R. Bartle Miller was removed from the University Hospital to his home on the eighteenth. Flowers from the members of his class and fraternity, Phi Chi, have helped to brighten the many long hours spent in the sick room.

He is now at school again.

J. E. Houghton, '17, is again on the sick list.

Drs. Merrill and Selby attended a convention of radiographers at Atlantic City, last week.

Dr. J. W. Bovee went to St. Louis, the latter part of last week.

Dr. S. I. Franz gave his first lecture in the new course in Psychology, February 1, before the Sophomore Class. This course promises to be one of the most interesting in the curriculum of the Medical School.

The Junior Class began Clinical Chemistry under Drs. Hornaday and Hunter, February 1.

Messrs. Bost, Brown, Collins and Woodward of the Senior Class were among those examined at Garfield Hospital for Internships, February 1.

C. J. Gentzkow of the Senior Class has been appointed Intern at Columbia Hospital. He will assume his new duties after the close of school.

### DENTAL SCHOOL.

Taking advantage of a holiday in the Prosthetic Laboratory, Wednesday night, almost the entire membership of the Dental School was seen at the Georgetown game.

### PHARMACY SCHOOL.

Professor Muncaster began a series of lectures with the Senior Class on Tuesday.

Owing to the fact that the Cherry Tree is not to be published this year, the students of the Pharmacy School are concentrating their efforts on the Annual Banquet of the school. The various classes are to hold class meetings in the immediate future appointing representative committees to take charge of this work.

All the George Washington men who took the recent district board examination were successful. They were the following: Paul W. Vestal, G. K. Moose, J. C. McCambridge. Moose made the highest mark attained in recent years.

The Junior class recently held a box party at Keith's, which was attended by all the members of the class with the exception of Minick, who was at his home in Pennsylvania. After the performance the party held a banquet. Speeches were made by President Davis, Vice-President Blue, Paylor and others. Minick indicated his good will by setting up the crowd to smoke.

The Junior Class recently indulged in the luxury of a class photograph.

## WITH THE GREEKS.

The Phi Alpha Fraternity gave an informal banquet and smoker on Saturday night, January 30, 1915. The surprise of the evening was in the form of an athletic exhibition by Messrs. Davis and Schmidt. Between pipes and stories, entertainment was furnished by several of Washington's best minstrels.

Zeta Chapter of Sigma Kappa initiated the following girls, Wednesday evening, February 3: Marian Brooks, Ella M. Enlows, Helen Miles, Mary Newcombe, Elizabeth Richardson, and Dorothy Sornborger. The initiation was followed by a banquet at Freund's at which a large delegation of alumnae was present.

Phi Sigma Kappa will give a dance at the chapter house, 1717 S Street, on next Tuesday evening at 8:30.

The following committee has been appointed by Kappa Sigma for the purpose of selling Athletic Association tickets among its members: Kenneth Romney, Chairman; Niles Bryant, Leighton D. Beckett.

The active members and alumni of Kappa Sigma are looking forward eagerly to the evening of February 20th, when the annual banquet of the fraternity is to be held. The committee in charge of the affair consists of Brothers James E. White and Royal G. Jenks. They have arranged an extremely entertaining program and have asked the University Club to lay covers for about a hundred men. William G. McAdoo, Secretary of the Treasury, an alumnus of Kappa Sigma, and Mr. Herbert M. Martin of Danville, Virginia, the Grand Scribe of the fraternity, will be guests at the banquet.

### G. W. STUDENTS STAR

#### AT DICKENS CARNIVAL.

In the Dickens carnival for the benefit of the Belgian children held at the New Willard Hotel recently, students of the University played a prominent part.

Miss Whitford, formerly a member of stock companies in New York and of the Columbia Players here, now a student at the University, won applause by her impersonation of Miss Betsy Trotwood from "David Copperfield".

Miss Whitford, who trained her fellow-students, also showed some versatility when she led a group in a dancing feature. Dressed girlishly in a blue silk gown and poke bonnet, she appeared in strong contrast to the part of the staid spinster.

Maurice Jarvis gave selections from "The Tale of Two Cities", Miss Ida M. Townsend contributed sketches from "Our Mutual Friend" and Miss Carmen Blackinton and A. W. Wilkinson presented excerpts from "The Old Curiosity Shop." The Pickwick Quartette was well received. All of the characters were received at the Pecksniff wedding.

Others who participated were: Miss Mable Wynne, formerly with the Poli Company; Miss May Flora Steerman, Miss Lillie Watts Collins, Dr. T. R. Payne, Leon A. Tashof, Miss Mary E. Grabbill, Louise J. Wiesen, Edgar E. Perkins, Walter W. Ostrow, Dr. Robert Bengis, Daniel Wilkerson, Darrr Lyford, Mrs. Bessie Harrison, Miss Margaret Berry, Mr. O'Neill, and John M. Jeffries.

### FACULTY TO ATTEND

#### CHEMICAL SOCIETY BANQUET

The Chemical Society will have as guests at its banquet to be held on Saturday, February 19, the following members of the faculty: Admiral Stockton, Dean Munroe, Dean Hodgkins, Assistant Professor Swett, Assistant Professor McNeill, and Assistant Professor Hill. L. F. William Pahl will be the toastmaster. The following compose the committee: Rueben Schmidt, Claude R. Beneman, Carl F. Snyder.

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### CLINEDINST TO MAKE PHOTOS

The committee of the Senior Class delegated to make investigations and arrangements for the publication of a senior class book for the Department of Arts and Sciences has just circulated a letter among the seniors of the Department enclosing a blank form for the gathering of necessary data, regarding the famous achievements and notorious appellations of the worthy venerables. The letter, which was signed by the committee composed of W. L. Wanlass, Mrs. Ella M. Enlows, M. R. Walton, and Joseph B. Kingsbury, asked for an immediate visit to Clinedinst's for a sitting and an early financial response to the effort. The book, which is to be retailed at \$1.50, will be obtained in a very limited number so that the committee will be sure of having no leftovers. To cover the cost of engraving, each senior will be required to leave \$1.50 with the committee before posing at Clinedinst's.

Many interesting and attractive features have been incorporated in the plans, which will be divulged in the near future.

The photographer is already at work on the pictures and will be kept busy from now until the fifteenth when picture-taking will cease.

On the blank form which was enclosed with the letter, the students were asked for all the cardinal points in their lives, their affiliations, notoriety and aspirations.

### MONTESSORI SPECIALIST TO LECTURE HERE

Dr. Harriet E. Hunt Will Speak February 10, 11 and 12.

Dr. Harriet E. Hunt, a specialist in the Montessori Method, has been engaged to deliver a series of three lectures on the subject of auto-education at this University.

Miss Hunt is well qualified to speak upon this subject and other phases of the Montessori Method. Upon the invitation of Madam Montessori, she has taken the Montessori course for the training of teachers and is now working in collaboration with the Doctress, also upon the latter's personal invitation. She holds the degree of Doctor of Pedagogy from New York University, has had a wide range of educational experience, including especially the teaching of psychology and pedagogy in normal schools, and for the past four years has been devoting herself almost exclusively to the study of the psychology of auto-education, a field in which she is the author of a successful book.

The lectures, which will be open to the public without charge, will be given under the auspices of Teachers College, in the Assembly Room of the Department of Arts and Sciences, and will fall on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, February 10, 11 and 12, at 4 P. M. The titles of the three lectures are: (1) The Tendency to Establish Relations; (2) The Training of the Kinesthetic Sense through the Use of the Montessori Material, and (3) The Significance of the Montessori Material in Developing Forms of Consciousness. These lectures should be of interest not only to teachers but also to parents and all others in any way concerned with children.

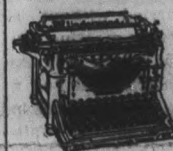
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